



ATTORNEY GENERAL OF TEXAS
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December 14, 2004

Sheriff Larry Lynch
McLennan County
Records Department
219 North 6th Street
Waco, Texas 76701

OR2004-10564

Re: Request for the arrest and conviction records of two named individuals

Dear Sheriff Lynch:

The Office of the Attorney General has received your request for a ruling and assigned your request ID# 218538.

After reviewing your arguments and the submitted information, we have determined that your request does not present a novel or complex issue. Thus, we are addressing your claims in a memorandum opinion. You claim that the requested information may be withheld from the requestor. We have considered your arguments and the submitted information and have determined that in accordance with section 552.101 of the Government Code in conjunction with *United States Department of Justice v. Reporters Committee for Freedom of the Press*, 489 U.S. 749 (1989), you must withhold the requested information.

For more information on the cited exception, as well as information on the rights and obligations of governmental bodies and requestors, please refer to open government information contained on the Office of the Attorney General website at www.oag.state.tx.us. You may also contact our Open Government Hotline at 1-877-OPENTEX.

Enc. Submitted documents

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